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sequence shown in SEQ ID NO:12, (b) the amino acid sequence encoded by a cDNA insert contained within plasmid pCRII-TMSP3 (ATCC Accession No. [[_____]] PTA-3433), and (c) biologically active variants thereof. A host cell comprising an expression vector that encodes the polypeptide is cultured under conditions whereby the polypeptide is expressed. The polypeptide is isolated.

- (8) Replace the paragraph at page 3, lines ⁶⁻¹⁹~~13-26~~ with the following substitute paragraph.

Yet another embodiment of the invention is a method of detecting a coding sequence for a polypeptide comprising an amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of (a) the amino acid sequence shown in SEQ ID NO:12, (b) the amino acid sequence encoded by a cDNA insert contained within plasmid pCRII-TMSP3 (ATCC Accession No. [[_____]] PTA-3433), and (c) biologically active variants thereof. A polynucleotide comprising 11 contiguous nucleotides selected from the group consisting of (a) the complement of the nucleotide sequence shown in SEQ ID NO:11, (b) the complement of the coding sequence of the cDNA insert of plasmid pCRII-TMSP3, (c) a polynucleotide that hybridizes under stringent conditions to (a) or (b), (d) a polynucleotide having a nucleic acid sequence that deviates from the nucleic acid sequences specified in (a) to (c) due to the degeneration of the genetic code, and (e) a polynucleotide that represents a fragment, derivative, or allelic variation of a nucleic acid sequence specified in (a) to (d) is hybridized to nucleic acid material of a biological sample to form a hybridization complex. The hybridization complex is detected.

- (9) Replace the paragraph at page 3, line ²⁰~~17~~ to page 4, line ⁴~~12~~ with the following substitute paragraph.

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